

WASHINGTON -- U.S. Rep. John W. Olver announced today that the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services has awarded a \$100,000 grant to the Leominster U.K. Crisis Center, a non-profit organization that provides crisis intervention and support services to children and families in the Leominster area.

"Helping disadvantaged and at-risk children should be one of our nation's first priorities." Olver said. "This grant will help the LUK Center continue its vital work in providing support and resources to children and families in need."

"I commend the collaborative efforts of the LUK Center, the Leominster Spanish American Center, and the Leominster Police Department in providing a safe and supportive environment for children and families in the Leominster area."

"By identifying and proactively supporting these children in their own environment, this innovative approach will help to prevent future crises and ensure that children and families have the resources they need to thrive."

The Crisis Center and the collaborating agencies have been working closely with at-risk children and families in the Leominster area to provide them with the support and resources they need to overcome their challenges and build a better future.

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